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hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as 2 Express Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents 3 P.O. Box 1450 5 **PATENT** 6 7 IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE In re application of: **Greg Brannstrom** 10 Alicia M. Torres Examiner: 11 Serial No. 10/616,312 12 Art Unit: 3671 Filed: 07/08/2003 13 Tomato Harvester PETITION FOR EXTENSION For: 14 15 Commissioner for Patents 16 P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 17 Dear Commissioner: 18 The applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend 19 the time for reply to the Office Action dated May 16, 2005 for two months from August 16, 2005 20 to October 16, 2005. The applicant herein is a small entity. Submitted herewith is a check which 21 includes a payment of \$225.00 to cover the cost of the extension. 22 Respectfully submitted, 10/17/2005 TBESH 1 00000032 10616312 225.00 OP 24 25 Reg. No. 44,664 00344525.000 26

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